

Impact Analysis Statement

Summary IAS

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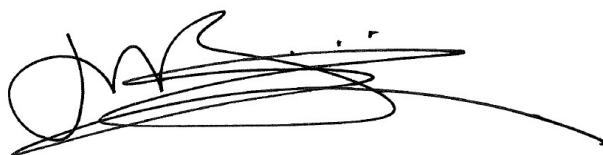
Lead department	Office of Industrial Relations
Name of the proposal	Repealing proposed changes to the <i>Work Health and Safety Act 2011</i> which have not yet commenced and other minor consequential amendments relating to a new requirement for the Regulator to give particular information to particular persons.
Submission type	Summary IAS
Title of related legislative or regulatory instrument	Electrical Safety and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2025
Date of issue	21 October 2025

Proposal type	Details
Minor and machinery in nature	<p>This proposal is minor and machinery in nature as it is deregulatory and will omit sections 9, 52, 64(1) of <i>Work Health and Safety and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2024</i> (WHSOLA Act) (which have not commenced) and make minor amendments to related provisions of the <i>Work Health and Safety Act 2011</i> (WHS Act).</p> <p>If commenced, section 52 of the WHSOLA Act will insert new section 155A into the WHS Act. This proposed amendment would introduce a new administrative process requiring the work health and safety (WHS) regulator to provide information from relevant notices issued by WHS inspectors to WHS entry permit holders and health and safety representatives on request.</p> <p>Omitting sections 9 and 64(1) of the WHSOLA Act are consequential to ensure additional changes to support this information sharing power in the WHS Act and the <i>Safety in Recreational Water Activities Act 2011</i> are no longer implemented.</p> <p>Other minor and consequential amendments to related provisions in the WHS Act are also deregulatory in nature, and are proposed in order to give effect to the removal of the new administrative process.</p>

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